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## NEW CHAIRMAN READS RIOT ACT

Lynch Declares Electric Plant Poles Are Disgraceful.

### WON'T PAY FOR CROOKED ONES

Two Committees Begin Crusade Against Wooden Obstructions and "Dead" Gas Lamp Posts. Lynch Unwilling to Approve Bills for Present Work

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character.

Will Not Sign Voucher.

Under the terms of the ordinance he proposes, as all wooden poles rot out and have to be replaced, the construction must be of iron, and all new poles erected must be of iron. Mr. Fergusson agreed that the poles erected by the city for lighting along Grace and Franklin Streets could not be worse in appearance, and Mr. Gunst thought that some of them could not have been more badly placed.

"They have just elected me chair-

They have just elected me chairan of the Electricity Committee," asried Mr. Lynch. "I understand that
e chairman has to approve the poles,
my predecessor hasn't already done
, you and the contractor, too, can rest
sured that I don't propose to approve
'any such work. He will put up
ster poles or go without his money,
the voucher needs my signature."

Remove Old Gas Posts.

While the Street Committee was disrugsing the wooden pole matter, the Council Committee on Light, in session Council Committee on Light, in session in another room at the City Hall, took action which will be almost as far reaching in clearing the streets of useless obstructions and removing unsightly sources of accident and danger. On motion of Mr. Mitchell, the Light Committee instructed Superintendent Knowles to remove at once all dead or-unused gaslamp posts on both sides of Broad Street, from Twelfth to Lef.

or-unused gastamp posts on both sides of Broad Street, from Twelfth to Jefferson Streets, and to remove all other gastamps and dead lamp posts which will be superfluous when the new electrict-lighting system is in full operation. Subchairman Rateliffe, who presided, favored the clearing away of all useless obstructions. Mr. Mitchell pointed out that by erecting a number of the street of the pointed out that by erecting a muni-cipal electric plant, the city has in-dicated its permanent intention of havan arc lamp at each street intersection in the closely-built sections, and it was unnecessary, therefore, to leave standing longer dead gaslamp posts, which would never be used again, and which only obstruct traffic and prove a fruitful source of acc'dent.

To Move Other Obstructions. Members of the Street Committee indicate that it is their intention as far as possible to clear the streets of obstructions of every character. Show-case permits will be more limited hereand an ordinance may be in treduced shortly providing that no showcase shall project more than two feet in front of the property line, or stand as an obstruction in the entrance to any store, creating a menace in ease of panic or fire.

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The Street Committee docket was a long and important ore. A petition was presented from E. A. Stumpf asking that his new hotel at Elighth and Main Streets be allowed to encroach sixteen inches on the alley in rear. It was stated that after the plans were drawn, the builders were compelled to move back sixteen inches from the line of the former building to the true line of Main Street. They built a the of the former sulfing to the true
line of Main Street. They built a
structure covering the entire depth of
the lot, as shown by the deeds, and now
find that the building is sixteen inches
on the alley. The petition was referred to the ward delegation and the
City Engineer.

Want to Close Alley.

Want to Cloze Alley. The petition of the American Ter-minal Warehouse Corporation to be allowed to close an alley running east from Seventeenth Street, between Broad and Marshall Streets, entirely (Continued on Second Page.)

### REVOLT OF BEDOUINS

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Jerusalem, December 15.—Reports from the Syrian vilayet, where Bedouin revolts have been recently reported, indicate that the uprising is a serious one. Many Turkish officials have been massacred, and at several military posts the troops were annihitated.

An Englishman who was a witness of some of the scenes of the uprising brings a detailed account to this city. Several companies of troops, he says, had been sent out with held guns to effect the disarmament of the Bedouins. The troops were scattered in small companies among the various tribes in

The troops were scattered in small companies among the various tribes in the district east of the Jordan when the revolt broke out.

The revolt was carefully planned and executed. The Bedouins were led by Chief Heilila of El Kerak, whose father was a desert chieftain of international prominence.

The Bedouins, objecting to the distancement program, planned an armed resistance ond attacked the troops simultaneously at all stations north of Maon. They were successful at every point, completely annihilating the troops, capturing sixteen field guns and killing many of the Turkish railway employes.

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Washington. D. C., December 15.—
The first Cabinet dinner of the season was given by the President and Mrs. The first Cabinet dinner of the season was given by the President and Mrs. Among the guests were: The ViceThe president and Mrs. Sherman, members of the Cabinet and their wives, several Senators and the Governors of Delaware and New Jersey, the Governor of Virginia and Mrs. Mann, Governor Gillette, of California; Magovernor Gillette, of California; Mato Governor Gillette, of California; Mat

### MISS LAWSON WEDS

Daughter of Famous Financier Be

Daughter of Famous Financier Becomes Mrs. Henry McCall.
Egypt, Mass., December 15.—Miss
Dorothy Lawson, daughter of Thomas
W. Lawson, was married to Henry
McCall, son of Congressman Samuel
W. McCall, at Mr. Lawson's estate,
Dreamwold, to-day,
Following old English customs, the
day was a holiday in Egypt, and the
farm people joined with the invited
guests from the city in the wedding
dance. A big Christmas tree was
provided for the younger generation.
The ceremony was performed by Rev.
John W. Suter, rector of the Church
of the Epiphany, Winchester.

### MOISANT WINS RACE

He Docs Five Miles in Air in 6 Min-ntes 24 1-5 Seconds.

Memphis, Tenn., December 15.—In the first aerial race for a purse ever held in the South, John B. Molsant, of held in the South, John B. Molsant, of Chicago, was returned a winner over Rene Simon, of France, this afternoon. The race was for five miles over the old Montgomery Park race course, and was finished by Molsant in six min-utes twenty-four and one-fifth seconds. Simon's time was eight and four-fifths seconds slower. Each used a Bleriot monoplane. In the contest for alti-tude Simon won over Rene Barrier, He went to a height of 3,200 feet, while Barrier descended from the 1700-foot Barrier descended from the 1,700-foot

### FEUDIST IS FREED

Evidence Not Sufficient to Convict Him of Murder.

Paris, Ky., December 15.—Thomas Davidson, one of the four Breathitt county men being tried here on charges of assassinating John Abner near Jackson, Ky., last June, was freed to-day by the court, the Commonwealth Attorney stating that the evidence was insuacient to convict.

The case of the other three defendants, Hacker Coombs, John Davidson and Jason Davidson, proceeded this afternoon.

### HAS BEEN MEMBER ONLYTENDAYS

Laying Aside Toga, He Talks to "Boys" From Viewpoint of Editor, Telling Them to Give Country Rest and Chance to Enjoy Prosperity.

way employes.

The victorious revolters then moved on El Kerak, which is a town of about 2,000 inhabitants, located twenty miles east of the Dead Sea. Here, too, they were successful.

They massacred the government officials and their families, looted and burned the government buildings and schools and robbed a party of eight American tourists. The latter suffered had prepared to make an attack on

producer."

Mr. Young opposed all efforts at revision of the existing tariff law because, as he contended, the law pretects the interests of the farmer. He had great fear, he said, that ulti-

on the free list. If the proposed rule should become the law of the two houses, we would be denied the privilege of fighting for our interests by the arraignment and introduction of the interests of others."

Will Erect Large Monuments.

Washington, D. C., December 15.—
Large masonry monuments, instead of individual headstones for the graves of Confederate soldiers who died in Northern prisons, probably will be erected as the result of a joint resolution passed to-day by the Senate. The House yet has to pass upon it. The legislation is intended to meet the objections of many cemeteries in the North to the erection of the small headstones. The larger monuments will bear pronze tablets, upon which the names of the Confederate dead will be inscribed. The resolution also extends for two years the time in which the monuments are to be erected.

### Holiday for House.

Washington, D. C., December 15.— Republican leaders have agreed upon a plan whereby the holiday recess of the House will begin after next Thursday's session, the recess to con-tinue until Wednesday, January 4 tinue until Wednesday, January i. Later on, possibly in January, evening sessions of the House are likely with a view to facilitating the administra-tion's legislative program.

### SOUTHERN WINS CASE

Cannot Be Indicted if Passenger Takes
Whiskey Into Dry Territory.
Frankfort, Ky., December 15.—The
Kentucky Court of Appeals to-day decided in the case of the Commonwealth
vs. the Southern Railway, that if a
railway company carries whiskey into railway company carries whiskey a local option district as baggage without receiving any pay other than the price of the passenger's ticket, no indictment can be returned for ship-ping whiskey into local option terri-

# LAFAYETTE YOUNG PRESIENT SAYS UNIVERSAL PEACE LECTURES SENATE WITHOLD REPORT CARNEGIE'S DREAM

### HASTYACTION IS TOT DESIRED

Would Derecate War Scare Believes Deplorable Condition of Which Anwer to McLachlan Resolution light Bring About. Major-Gerral Wood Again Explains Country's Unpreparednes for Hostilities.

tion to some of the needs of the army and is hopeful that favorable action may be taken.

The President is anxious that more officers for the army be provided by law, and that these officers should corporate the army be provided by law, and that these officers should corporate the state of the army be provided by law, and that these officers should corporate the state of the army was again be feetive fighting force which could be called into the field at a moment's notice.

Major-General Leonard Wood, chief of staff of the army, was again before the House Military committee today to explain his views as to the military unpreparedness of the country. He talked of the woeful inadequacy of men and guns and munitions and pointed out the impossibility of obtaining a large stock of war supplies on short notice. He believed the time to act was now, and that the government should be enabled at once to purchase all the supplies necessary so that any emergency might be met promptly and effectively. General Wood favored the national council of defense plan, as outlined in the administration measure introduced yesterday by Representative Hobson, of Alabama, and contended for legislation providing a permanent policy such as is worked out successfully in European governments. out successfully in European

### STRONG FOR CIVIL SERVICE

Reformers Would Have Government Go to Extreme Lengths Reformers Would Have Government
Go to Extreme Lengths.

Baltimore, Md. December 15.—The
opening sessions of the thirtieth annual meeting of the National Civic
Service Reform Association to-day and
to-night were notable for the length
to which those of the association desire the government to go in the adop
tion of their views. If the ideas of
the association are put into practice
virtually only the President and the
Vice-President of the United States
and the Cabinet will be exempt from
the application of the civil service
rules. There will also be, if the
association can bring it about, a thorough revision of the government saary list and promotions will be made
strictly on the basis of merit and
length of service, after thorough examination. These points were elaborated in the report of the committee on promotion, and also in the annual address of President Dr. Charles
W. Ellot to-night.

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Columbia, Mo., December 15.—A word centaining eight letters stummed both classes in an old-fashioned spelling bee here last night. The word was "bdellium," and among those vanquished were President A. Ross Hill, of the University of Missouri, and several members of faculty at New York. The spelling match was held for the benefit of the local Y. W. C. A. Dr. Hill and Mrs. Luella St. Clair, president of Christian College, chose sides Dr. Quisenberry, president of St. Stephen's College, "gave out" the words. Mrs. St. Clair's side won the contest.

### ONE CURE FOR WORLD'S ILLS

Leading Nations of Earth Is Leading to One Thing, and That Thing Is Judicial Settlement of International Disputes.

Mr. Carnegie deplored the crime of killing, which is the moral wrong for which war should be abolished. He said that it was the wish of Washing. said that it was the wish of Washington, Lincoln, Grant and Sherman that
war might cease forever, and he
commended the German Emperor for
his efforts to restrict private war"dueling"—in the army and navy.
"In all this," he continued, "we note
the supreme importance attached to
the moral equation, the outstanding
question of right and wrong—the religious and moral issues; the appeal to

Nants to Quit Prison to Spend Christmans at Old Men's Home.

Washington, December 15.—John G. Mason, eighty years old, who on April 27 of last year, while an inmate of the District, killed Martin McCrossin, another old man, and was sentened to life imprisonment at Fort Leavenworth, Kan, wants to come back to the old home and see the inmates on Christmas Day. He lived at the home for fiften years.

Mason has appealed to President Taft and the latter has referred the matter to the District Commissioners. His coming rests enlirely with them, as the prison warden is willing to have the old man paroled if a home could be found for him.

peace foundation.

### CARNEGIE'S HOPES HIGH

### STRIKERS IN FRENZY

Labor War Enters Most Serious Stage

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ONE CURE FOR Stage of Its history. In riots which began early one striker was potably fatally wounded, four policemen were injured another striker was badly hurt. The strikers were shot by the police of the

struction—heavy pieces of lead, through holes in which leather though had been passed and made fast. The rioting was precipitated when Annie Nevjacek, a strike-breaker, slapped a picket, who had seized her. Private detectives interfered, the policemen went to their assistance, and the rioting became general.

Only one arrest was made—Stanislas Bricks, identified as one of the men who began the righting, being taken. As a result of the riot every available policeman in Chicago has been ordered on reserve duty to be prepared to rush into the strike district. Another effort to devise a means of effecting a settlement was begun by the City Council committee, neaded by the Mayor, and a long conference was held late to-day, with representatives of the Chicago Federation of Labor and the clothing manufacturers. The result of the conference was not made public, but all sides agreed an immediate settlement was unlikely.

The cold weather of last week also has added to the seriousness of the situation, many of the former workless of the situation, many of the former workless.

### APPOINTMENTS CONFIRMED

enate Approves Lamar and Von De-

Washington, December 15.—The appointment of Judge William Willis Van Devanter, of Wyoming, and Judge J. G. Lamar, of Georgia, as associate justices of the United States Supreme Court, was concurred by the Senate to-day.

The appointments sent to the Senate Monday by President Taft had been taken up at a special meeting of the Judiciary Committee this morning. The committee approved both nominations and urged their immediate confirmation. It was desired to show full honor to the two appointees, and to this end the special meeting of the committee was held and confirmation was effected with referring the favorable reports to the executive calendar. It has not yet been announced when the two associate justices will take the oath of office. Chief Justice White whose appointment was confirmed Monday, December 19. The associate justices may delay the taking of the each until after the court reconvenes in January following the holiday recess.

### MAY UNCOVER CONSPIRACY

Gigantic Traffic in Contraband China-

San Francisco. Cal. December 15.—
That the investigations following the smuggling into San Francisco of iffteen contraband Chinamen on December 4, on the steamship Manchuria, may result in the uncovering of a gigantic traffic in Orientals, in which which men are engaged, was the statement made to-day by Frederick S Stratton, collector of the port of San Francisco.

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Together with some additions to be made to the equipment, the building will stand on the site of the old college. 90 by 131 feet, at Twelfth and Clay Streets. The base will be o' granite ashlar and the remainder of

### ILLNESS ABROAD

# GREAT MEDICAL COLLEGE HERE

Business Men Determined to Make School Finest in South.

### MANY SURPRISES AT BOARD MEETING

Enthusiasm of Faculty and Students Aroused by Trustees Insisting on Ambitious Plans for New U. C. M. Building Will Cost \$135,000.

The cold weather of last week also has added to the seriousness of the situation, many of the former workers being without fuel for their families.

PAGE IS CAUSTIC

Criticizes American Art as Shown in Its Statues.

Washington. December 15.—Caustic criticisms of the art of America, with particular reference to the standard of national monuments which be charracterized as "a travesty of art." was advanced by Thomas Nelson Fage in an address before the American Civic Association here to-day.

"Go through the length and breadth of the land and see for yourself what the soldiers' monuments are like," said Mr. Page. Admitting that the monuments represent an idea, he declared. "How frightfully do they express it." on objects of art, declaring that the country did not need it for purposes. Speaking of the statues in the national capital, he asserted that "some are good and one or two are evenue."

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The discussion of city planning was the principal topic of the day.

The election of J. H. McFarland, of Harrisburg, Pa. as president; Clind, and evenue of the eventual discussion of the supposable of the

any of them thought.

Frequently disregarding the more modest proposals of the faculty which some time ago turned over to them the whole business end of the undertaking, the trustees, confident of the continued co-operation of the citizens at large, insisted on ambitious plans, and have night proceeded to sward contracts on

and Baskervill, of this city. The general exterior design has not been altered from that previously described, but several changes were ordered in the matter of materials and construction. Among the most important of the latter is the decision of the board to be satisfied with nothing less than an absolutely fire-proof structure. This means more monay but the trus-This means more money, but the trus-

Francisco.
Immigration officials within the last month have turned their attention to Maxico, from which, they declare, large numbers of Chinese recently have been smuggled. Affidavits will be demanded of every member of the crew of the Manchurla regarding the smuggling of December 4, and in the byent of their fallure to explain satisfactorily indictments will be sought.

granite ashiar and the remainder of repressed red brick and concrete, with trimmings of Indiana Ilmestone. The front elevation will present a very attractive appearance, containing in addition to the main doors, an areaway with a balustrade of Indiana Ilmestone and with an entrance for white patients on one side and students on the other.

A conspicuous feature from the outside of the patients on the other.

ROBIN COOPER WEDS

His Brile is Daughter of Louisville and Nashville President.

Louisville, Ky., December 15.—Robin Cooper, who, with his father, Colonel ties and Scoper, was clarged with the murder of former United States ent Season Edward W. Carmack, in Nashville Renn., In the fall of 1908, was lithe mirried to-night to Miss Eva Lee Smith, daughter of President Milton H. Smith, of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents here. To Pollowing the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper left for New Orleans, where the will sail for Panama on December 17. The case of young Cooper receive who was convicted, was pardoned by Governor Patterson.

ILLNESS Appears

His Brile is Daughter of Louisville and Nashville construction with a view side will be the rows of big windows—ten by eight and one-half feet—on the second, third and fourth floors. Particular emphasis has been laid on this point in the construction with a view to flooding the laboratories with light from every angle.

On the first floor will be the free dispensaries, provision for which will be unusually complete. Separate departments will be set aside for general medicine, diseases of the eye, ear and throat diseases of children, genitourin ary diseases, synecology, general surgery and nervous and mental diseases. There will be an X-ray room and a laboratory of clinical pathology for use in the fee dispensary work. The departments of surgery and gynecology will be situated in the courtyard facing the Virginia Hospital, and will consist of two operating four treatment. throat, diseases of children, genitourinary diseases, gynecology, general surgery and nervous and mental diseases. There will be an X-ray room and a laboratory of clinical pathology for use in the free dispensary work. The departments of surgery and gynecology will be situated in the courtyard facing the Virginia Hospital, and will consist of two operating rooms and four treatment rooms, with an anaesthetizing room in the centre. This floor will also contain a large smoking room for the students, lavatories, shower baths, about 2006 lockers, a high storage room, the vat room, an elec-

Batti ship Rushing to Port With Two Patients.

With two serious cases of illness aboard the armored cruiser Washington D. C., December 15.—With two serious cases of illness aboard the armored cruiser Washington is steaming into Norfolk from the Southern drill grounds, where she has been engaged in target practice. This information was contained in a wireless telegram received by the Navy Department to-day. The nature of the illness is not known here. As soon as illness, will be rushed for a learn to here. The executive offices will be on the second floer along with the library, looby, five class rooms, dark room for me death of her along the illness is not known here. As soon as illness, is not known here. As soon as the least of the state of the library, looby, five class rooms, dark room for the state of the clest elevator, and v